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OF A NUCLEAR WEAPON TEST

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¶1. Per reftel instructions, the talking points and President Bush's speech on North Korea's announcement of a nuclear weapon test were delivered under cover of Diplomatic Notes (Antigua #1379, Barbados #1380, Dominica #1381, St. Kitts #1382, St. Lucia #1383, St. Vincent #1384) on October 10, 2006. The original Diplomatic Notes were also mailed on this date.

¶2. Post will report any responses. GILROY